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Abstract

This study explores a comparative eschatological theory rooted in Islamic, Christian, and Jewish traditions, focusing on the origins, nature, and destiny of destructive beings such as **Yajuj & Majuj (Gog & Magog)** and the **Nephilim**, who are believed to have descended from the union of fallen angels and human women. The primary aim is to uncover the **hidden history of evil on Earth**—how **Iblis (Satan)** and his followers introduced corruption, war, vanity, and forbidden knowledge among early humans.

The book examines **pre-Flood human civilization**, emphasizing their **extraordinary physical strength, towering height**, and long lifespans, as exemplified by Prophet Adam (AS) and his descendants. By integrating Islamic scripture, hadith, the Book of Enoch, and Biblical narratives, this research offers a bold hypothesis: that **Yajuj & Majuj may be the surviving descendants of the Nephilim**, preserved in a hidden realm and awaiting their end-time release.

The study also addresses the advanced nature of early civilizations, possibly influenced by extraterrestrial or angelic entities (Watchers), and the mysterious role of figures like **Dhul-Qarnayn** and **Prophet Idris** (**AS**) in containing or understanding these beings. Ultimately, the work serves as a warning and a theological reflection on the **return of ancient corruption** and the divine intervention required to stop it.

Creation of Prophet Adam (AS)

According to Islamic belief, **Prophet Adam** (**AS**) was the **first human and prophet**, created by **Allah from clay**. The Qur'an describes that Allah shaped Adam, **breathed into him His spirit**, and **honored him by commanding the angels to prostrate** before him. He was created with a **towering height of 60 cubits (about 90 feet)** and was the origin of all humanity. Adam's creation marked the beginning of mankind's spiritual journey and the start of divine guidance on Earth.

Before the Great Flood, the prophets mentioned in Islamic and Abrahamic traditions include:

- Prophet Adam (AS) The first human and the first prophet created by Allah and sent to Earth.
- 2. **Prophet Sheath (AS) (Seth)** The son of Adam (AS), who continued his father's teachings and guided people.
- 3. **Prophet Idris** (AS) (Enoch) A righteous prophet known for his wisdom and knowledge, believed to have been raised to the heavens.
- 4. **Prophet Nuh** (**AS**) (**Noah**) The prophet who warned his people for centuries about the coming flood and built the Ark to save believers and pairs of animals.

The **Great Flood** occurred during the time of **Prophet Nuh** (**AS**) as a punishment for the disbelievers. He is the last known prophet before the flood in Islamic and biblical traditions.

After the Great Flood, the following prophets are mentioned in Islamic and biblical traditions:

- 1. **Prophet Hud** (AS) Sent to the people of $\bar{A}d$, who lived in the Arabian Peninsula. They were a powerful but arrogant nation that was ultimately destroyed by a severe windstorm.
- 2. **Prophet Saleh** (AS) Sent to the people of **Thamud**, who were skilled builders but rejected his message. They demanded a miracle and were given the **she-camel of Saleh**, but they killed it, leading to their destruction.

- 3. **Prophet Ibrahim** (**AS**) (**Abraham**) Known as the **father of prophets**, he preached monotheism and had two famous sons, **Prophet Ismail** (**AS**) and **Prophet Ishaq** (**AS**), who were also prophets.
- 4. **Prophet Ismail** (**AS**) (**Ishmael**) Son of Ibrahim (**AS**), settled in Mecca, and was the ancestor of the **Arab nation**. He helped build the **Kaaba**.
- 5. **Prophet Ishaq (AS) (Isaac)** Another son of Ibrahim (AS), and the father of **Prophet Yaqub (AS) (Jacob)**.
- 6. **Prophet Lut (AS) (Lot)** Sent to the sinful people of **Sodom and Gomorrah**, who were destroyed due to their immoral behavior.
- 7. **Prophet Yaqub** (AS) (Jacob) Also known as Israel, he was the father of **Prophet Yusuf** (AS) (Joseph) and the ancestor of the 12 Tribes of Israel.
- 8. **Prophet Yusuf (AS) (Joseph)** Known for his beauty and wisdom, he was sold into slavery but later became a ruler in Egypt.
- 9. **Prophet Shu'ayb (AS) (Jethro)** Sent to the people of **Madyan (Midian)**, who were known for cheating in trade. They were destroyed for their disobedience.
- 10. Prophet Musa (AS) (Moses) Sent to Pharaoh and the Israelites, he led the Exodus from Egypt and received the Torah.
- 11. **Prophet Harun (AS) (Aaron)** Brother of Musa (AS), he assisted him in delivering God's message to Pharaoh.
- 12. **Prophet Dawud (AS) (David)** A prophet and king of **Israel**, known for his wisdom and receiving the **Zabur (Psalms)**.
- 13. **Prophet Sulaiman** (AS) (Solomon) Son of Dawud (AS), known for his great kingdom and control over **jinn**, animals, and the wind.
- 14. **Prophet Ayub** (**AS**) (**Job**) Known for his patience and endurance through extreme hardships.
- 15. **Prophet Yunus (AS) (Jonah)** Swallowed by a **big fish** and later guided the people of **Nineveh**.
- 16. **Prophet Ilyas (AS) (Elijah)** Sent to guide the **Children of Israel** back to monotheism.
- 17. **Prophet Al-Yasa (AS) (Elisha)** Successor of Ilyas (AS), continued to preach to the Israelites.

- 18. Prophet Zakariya (AS) (Zechariah) Father of Prophet Yahya (AS) (John the Baptist).
- 19. **Prophet Yahya (AS) (John the Baptist)** Preached repentance and baptized people, including **Prophet Isa (AS) (Jesus)**.
- 20. Prophet Isa (AS) (Jesus) Sent to guide the Children of Israel and given the Injil (Gospel).
- 21. **Prophet Muhammad (*)** The **final prophet**, sent with the **Quran** to guide all of humanity.

These are the major prophets mentioned in Islamic and biblical traditions who came after the flood, continuing the message of monotheism and righteousness.

1. Prophet Adam (AS)

➤ Height of Prophet Adam (AS)

According to authentic Hadith, Prophet Adam (AS) was the tallest human ever created.

☐ Sahih al-Bukhari 3326:

"Allah created Adam in His image. He was sixty cubits tall"

- 60 cubits = approximately 90 feet (27 meters).
- This unique height was specific to Adam (AS), and **human height gradually decreased** over generations.

➤ Lifespan of Prophet Adam (AS)

Islamic sources mention that Adam (AS) lived for a total of 1,000 years.

☐ Tafsir Ibn Kathir and Qasas al-Anbiya:

- Adam (AS) initially had a lifespan of 1,000 years.
- He donated 40 years of his life to Prophet Dawud (AS), reducing his life to 960 years.
- However, when the Angel of Death came, Adam (AS) forgot about the donation and disputed it

Summary Table

Attribute	Description		
Height	60 cubits (\approx 90 feet / 27 meters)		
Lifespan	1,000 years (or 960 years with gift to Dawud)		
Creation	on Created directly by Allah from clay		
Significance First human and first prophet			

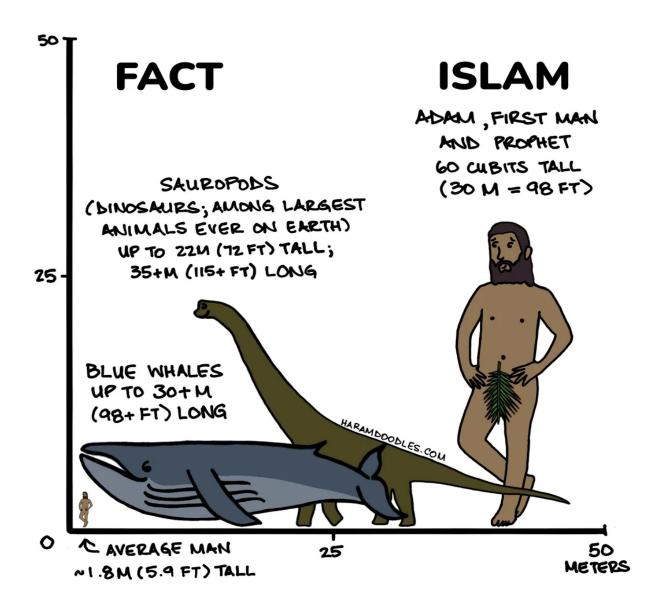
> Religion of Prophet Adam (AS)

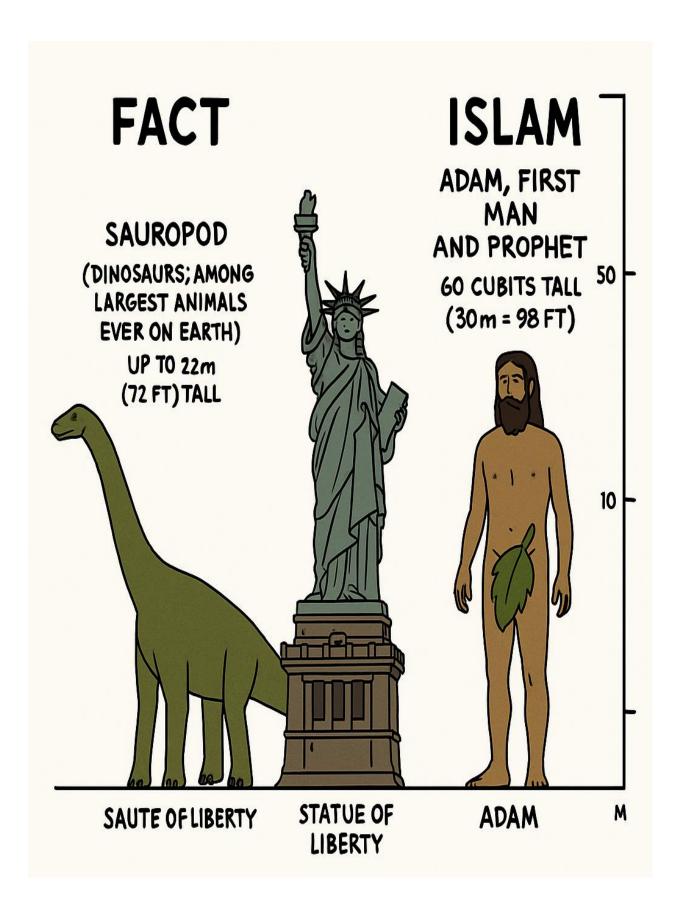
The religion of Adam (AS) was Islam which means submission to the One God (Allah).

☐ Surah Al-Imran (3:19):

"Indeed, the religion in the sight of Allah is Islam."

- Adam (AS) worshiped only Allah, without partners.
- Like all prophets, he preached **Tawheed (monotheism)** and submission to Allah's will.





2. Prophet Sheeth (AS) – The Noble Son of Adam (AS)

▶ Who Was Sheeth (AS)?

- Sheeth (AS) (also known as Seth in English and Hebrew traditions) was the son of Prophet Adam (AS).
- He was born after the death of Habil (Abel) and was regarded as the righteous child who continued the prophetic mission of his father.
- His name "Sheeth" (شيث) means "Gift from Allah", as he was a gift to Adam (AS) after the tragedy of Qabil (Cain) killing Habil.

> His Role and Mission

- Sheeth (AS) was appointed as a prophet by Allah to guide humanity after Adam (AS)'s death.
- He led the righteous descendants of Adam (AS) and preserved the divine teachings of monotheism (Tawheed).

> His Era and People

- Sheeth (AS) lived in the mountainous region, where righteous people dwelled.
- He warned his people not to mix with the **descendants of Qabil**, who lived in the valleys and had fallen into corruption.
- Over time, **the early seeds of music, idol worship, and immorality** began to appear among the people of Qabil a trend **Sheeth (AS) warned against.**

> Lifespan and Legacy

• Sheeth (AS) lived for around **912 years** (according to historical records, including those in Jewish and Christian traditions).

3. Prophet Idris (AS) – The Wise and Elevated Prophet

Prophet Idris (AS), known as **Enoch** in Judeo-Christian traditions, is a revered and noble figure in **Islam**, **Christianity**, and **Judaism**. Although mentioned briefly in the **Qur'an** and **Hadith**, he is widely recognized for his **profound wisdom**, **intellect**, and a **strong spiritual bond with Allah**. He is among the earliest prophets and is celebrated for his exceptional knowledge and righteous character.

> Prophet Idris (AS) in the Qur'an

Prophet Idris (AS) is mentioned in two chapters of the Holy Qur'an, highlighting his truthfulness, patience, and elevation by Allah:

□ Surah Maryam (19:56–57):

"And mention Idris in the Book. Indeed, he was a man of truth and a prophet. And We raised him to a high station."

☐ Surah Al-Anbiya (21:85–86):

"And Ishmael, Idris, and Dhul-Kifl; all were of the patient. And We admitted them into Our mercy. Indeed, they were of the righteous."

From these verses, we learn that Idris (AS) was:

- A truthful and righteous prophet
- Known for his **patience**
- Elevated by Allah to a high and honored station

➤ Who Was Prophet Idris (AS)?

According to Islamic tradition:

• A descendant of Adam (AS) and Sheeth (AS)

- Believed to have been born 100 years after Adam (AS)
- The first human to write with a pen
- A pioneer in various fields: astronomy, mathematics, medicine, tailoring, and agriculture
- A caller to monotheism, urging people to worship Allah and live righteously

The Divine Elevation of Idris (AS)

The Qur'an affirms that Allah raised Idris (AS) to a "high station." Scholars interpret this as either:

- A spiritual elevation in rank, or
- A **physical ascension** into the heavenly realms

> Contributions of Prophet Idris (AS)

Idris (AS) was both a **spiritual guide** and a **civilizational pioneer** who brought significant advancement to human society:

- **Invented the art of writing** with a pen
- Introduced tailoring, teaching people to sew garments instead of wearing animal skins
- **Developed agriculture**, introducing methods of crop cultivation
- Advanced medical knowledge, guiding people on healing and treatment
- Emphasized the importance of knowledge, discipline, and ethical conduct
- Lived a long life of **approximately 865 years**, dedicated to divine service and enlightenment

How Did Human Lifespans Change Over Time?

Before the Flood: According to religious texts, humans lived for hundreds or even over a thousand years.

After the Flood: Lifespans rapidly decreased, dropping below 200 years within a few generations.

Lifespans in Islamic & Biblical Records

Prophet/Person	Age at Death	Source
Adam (AS)	1,000 years (or 960)	Hadith, Torah
Idris (AS)	865 years	Islamic tradition
Nuh (AS)	950–1,200 years	Quran (29:14)
Ibrahim (AS)	175 years	Bible (Genesis 25:7)
(Abraham)		
Musa (AS) (Moses)	120 years	Torah (Deuteronomy
		34:7)
Isa (AS) (Jesus)	Not recorded;	Quran (4:157)
	ascended	
Prophet Muhammad	63 years	Islamic history

Timeline of Early Prophets and the Descent of the Watchers (Fallen Angels)

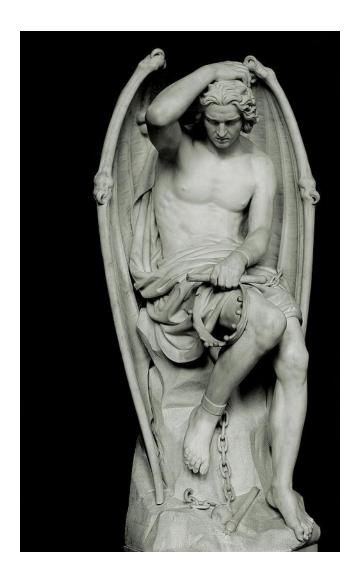
This timeline combines **Islamic and interfaith traditions** (especially Jewish and Christian) to show when the **Watchers** a group of fallen angels described in the **Book of Enoch** are believed to have descended to Earth.

Prophet	Time Period	Key Events & Notes	
Adam	First human	Created by Allah; no fallen angels yet; beginning of	
(AS)		humanity.	
Sheeth	After Adam	Continued his father's teachings; warned against	
(AS)	(AS)	early signs of corruption.	
Idris (AS)	3rd Prophet	Believed to be the era when the Watchers (fallen	
		angels) descended (Book of Enoch); Idris was	
		shown heavenly realms and cosmic knowledge.	
Nuh (AS)	After Idris	Sent after widespread corruption (possibly linked to	
	(AS)	the Nephilim, offspring of Watchers); built the Ark;	
		Great Flood followed.	

Fallen Angels in Christianity and Judaism

In Christian and Jewish traditions, fallen angels are beings who rebelled against God and were cast out of heaven. The most well-known is Lucifer (Satan), but ancient texts like the Book of Enoch also mention others, including Azazel, Semyaza, and the Watchers. These figures are central to early narratives about the origin of evil and spiritual corruption.

1. Lucifer (Satan/Iblis)



- Origin: Originally, Lucifer was a high-ranking angel, possibly a cherub or seraphim.
- Rebellion: He grew arrogant and wanted to be equal to God.
- Fall from Heaven:

Isaiah 14:12-15 – Describes **Lucifer's fall**, calling him the "Morning Star" (translated as **Lucifer** in Latin).

Ezekiel 28:12-17 – Symbolically describes his beauty, wisdom, and downfall due to pride.

- **Became Satan**: After his fall, **Lucifer became Satan**, the adversary of God and humanity.
- Connection to Iblis in Islam:

In Islam, **Iblis is NOT an angel but a jinn**, created from **smokeless fire** (Quran 18:50).

However, both figures share similarities in their rebellion and role as deceivers.





- Mentioned in Jewish and Christian texts:
 - o Leviticus 16:8-10 Describes the ritual of scapegoat offering to Azazel.
 - Book of Enoch Identifies Azazel as a leader of fallen angels who corrupted humanity.
- Taught Forbidden Knowledge:
 - o Introduced warfare, weapons, and warfare tactics to humans.
 - o Showed women how to use **cosmetics and jewelry**, leading to vanity and sin.

• Punishment:

 According to the Book of Enoch, Azazel was chained and buried in the desert until Judgment Day.

3. Semyaza & the Watchers



• The Watchers (Grigori):

- o A group of 200 angels tasked with watching over humans.
- o Mentioned in the **Book of Enoch**.

• The Sin of The Watchers:

- o These angels became **lustful** after seeing human women.
- They descended to Earth, took human wives, and had children called Nephilim (giant hybrids).

• Semyaza (Samyaza):

- o The **leader** of the Watchers.
- He and his followers taught magic, astrology, and forbidden knowledge to humans.

• Divine Punishment:

- o God **punished the Watchers** for corrupting humanity.
- o They were **bound in chains in the abyss** until the Day of Judgment.

Summary Table of Key Fallen Angels

Name	Role Before Fall	Sin	Punishment
Lucifer (Satan)	High-ranking angel	Pride, wanted to be like God	Cast out of heaven, became Satan
Azazel	Watcher Angel	Taught humans weapons & cosmetics	Chained in the desert until Judgment
Semyaza	Leader of The Watchers	Took human wives, taught magic	Imprisoned in the abyss
The Watchers	Angels watching over humans	Lust, mixing with humans	Bound in chains

Introduction: The Messiah's Power over Metal

In Jewish eschatology, one of the most profound signs of the coming Messiah is his power to

transform the tools of war into instruments of peace. This is not merely poetic—it is seen as a

literal and symbolic act that marks the beginning of the Messianic age. This power of melting

weapons into tools signifies divine authority, justice, and the global shift from conflict to

harmony

□ Scriptural Foundations

Isaiah 2:4:

"They will beat their swords into ploughshares and their spears into pruning hooks"

Micah 4:3:

"Nation shall not lift up a sword against nation, neither shall they learn war anymore."

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Prophetic Fulfilment: Clearly foretold in Isaiah and Micah as a hallmark of the Messiah's era.

Peace over War: Symbolizes the end of global warfare and the dawn of universal peace.

Divine Authority: Shows the Messiah's God-given power to reshape human civilization.

Moral Reversal: Converts destructive weapons into life-giving agricultural tools.

Messianic Signature: Acts as a divine sign authenticating the true Messiah.

Spiritual Cleansing: Represents the purification of humanity from sin, pride, and violence.

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♦ Azazel and the Power of Metalworking — A Contrast to the Messiah's Peace

☐ Who Was Azazel?

Azazel is a mysterious figure found in both Jewish scripture and older religious texts, with different interpretations:

- In the **Torah**, during the **Yom Kippur** ritual, one goat is sacrificed for God and the other is sent into the wilderness "for Azazel," carrying the people's sins.
- Some understand Azazel as a demon of the desert or a symbol of sin and impurity.
- In the **Book of Enoch**, Azazel is described as **a fallen angel**, one of the Watchers who descended to Earth and corrupted humanity.

■ What Did Azazel Do?

According to the Book of Enoch:

He taught humans how to make **weapons** (swords, knives, shields).

He introduced **metalworking**, helping people extract and forge metals.

He also promoted **vanity and pride** by teaching makeup, jewelry, and ornamentation.

Because of this, Azazel was **chained in the desert** and will remain bound **until the End of Time**.

☐ "Azazel tauş	ght men to n	nake swords a	and knives	and showed	them how	to work	with r	netals."
(Book of Enoch	n 8:12)							

Azazel vs. the Jewish Messiah — A Powerful Comparison

Aspect	Azazel (Book of Enoch)	Jewish Messiah (Isaiah 2:4, Micah 4:3)
Identity	Fallen angel / demon / corrupter	Human descendant of King David
When Appears	Will be released at the End of Time	Will arrive at the End of Time
Use of Metal	Taught humans to forge weapons for war	Will melt weapons into tools of peace
Power of Metalworking	Introduced metal use for violence	Reverses metal use to end violence
Purpose	Spread war, sin, vanity	Bring peace, justice, unity
Result	Chained until Judgment Day	Rules during a golden age of peace

A Deeper Reflection — Could They Be the Same?

Azazel introduced the use of metal for war and corruption.

The Messiah will use divine power to reverse that, melting weapons into peaceful tools.

This raises a profound possibility:

- If Azazel began the story by teaching how to use metal for evil, and the Messiah ends the story by undoing it could it be the same being completing a full cycle of transformation?
 - Only someone with the original power over metal could reverse it so dramatically.
 - This could suggest that the same force which corrupted the world may return at the
 end claiming to restore peace a deception, unless rightly understood.

Dajjal is Alive but Hidden

1 The Hadith of Tamim Ad-Dari

One of the most well-known hadiths confirming that Dajjal is currently alive but has not yet emerged is the Hadith of Tamim Ad-Dari, narrated in Sahih Muslim.

Tamim Ad-Dari, a companion of the Prophet Muhammad , shared an extraordinary experience:

"Tamim told me that he and some of his companions were sailing when they got lost at sea. They came upon an unknown island and encountered a strange, hairy creature called Jassasah. Jassasah led them to a man who was chained. This man asked, 'Has Prophet Muhammad appeared in Makkah?' They replied, 'Yes.' He then said, 'Soon, I will be given permission to emerge.'"

(Sahih Muslim 2942c)

♦ This hadith confirms that Dajjal is already alive, but currently restrained and awaiting his moment to be released into the world.

The Connection Between Azazel, Dajjal, and the Jewish Messiah

Across ancient texts and religious traditions, three powerful figures stand out in end-time narratives: Azazel, Dajjal, and the Jewish Messiah (Mashiach). Though they appear in different contexts, a deeper comparison reveals striking similarities—and possibly, a shared identity cloaked in deception.

Aspect	Azazel (Book of	Dajjal (Islamic	Jewish Messiah
	Enoch)	Hadith)	(Mashiach)
Bound in chains?	Yes, in the desert	Yes, on a remote	No
		island	
Will be	Yes, before	Yes, before the Last	Expected to appear
released/end-	Judgment Day	Hour	at the end
time?			
Controls metal?	Yes – taught	Possibly – may	Yes – melts
	weapon-making and	mimic Messiah's	weapons into tools
	metallurgy	signs	of peace (Isaiah
			2:4)
Brings peace or	War, corruption,	War, deception,	Peace (but possibly
war?	vanity	false miracles	deceptive if Dajjal
			in disguise)
Punishment/fate?	Chained until	Killed by Prophet	No punishment;
	Judgment Day, then	Isa (AS)	revered as divine
	cast into fire		messenger

Final Thought

Azazel, Dajjal, and the false Messiah may not be three different forces but rather one ancient evil, manifesting in different roles across time. Recognizing this pattern is key to understanding the nature of the ultimate deception, and the divine plan that will eventually bring it to an end.

Nephilim (Children of the Watchers) – Judeo-Christian Tradition

The **Nephilim** are mysterious beings mentioned in the Bible (Genesis 6:1–4) and expanded upon in the Book of Enoch.

- They were **giant hybrids**, born from the union of **fallen angels** (Watchers) and **human** women.
- Known for their **superhuman strength**, **violence**, and corruption of mankind.
- According to tradition, God sent the Great Flood to wipe them out, though some believe a remnant survived.
- Seen as a symbol of **pre-Flood chaos and divine disobedience**.

Yajuj & Majuj (Gog and Magog) – Islamic Tradition

Yajuj and Majuj are two powerful and destructive tribes mentioned in the Quran and Hadith.

- They are **human-like** but extremely savage and corrupt.
- Trapped behind a **massive barrier** built by **Dhul-Qarnayn**, a righteous king.
- They will be released **near the end of times**, overwhelming humanity with chaos and destruction.
- Their defeat will come only through **divine intervention**, not human power.

COMPARATIVE ANALYSIS: Nephilim vs. Yajuj & Majuj

Feature	Nephilim (Children of Watchers)	Yajuj & Majuj (Islamic)
Origin	Offspring of fallen angels (Watchers) and human women	Human, descendants of Adam (AS)
Physical Traits	Giants, hybrids, superhuman strength	Human-like, but aggressive and numerous
Nature	Violent, cannibalistic, corrupted	Corrupt, destructive, chaotic
Numbers	Large but finite	So numerous they "drink lakes dry" (Hadith)
Survival	Wiped out by Flood (or some escaped)	Trapped behind Dhul- Qarnayn's barrier
End Role	Destroyers in pre-Flood world	Global chaos before Day of Judgment
Final Destruction	Divine judgment via Flood or angelic wrath	Divine plague after their release (Hadith)

- ♦ Both are warlike, destructive, and against God's will.
- ♦ Both were restrained (Nephilim by the flood, Yajuj & Majuj by the barrier).
- ♦ Both will reappear before Judgment Day to cause chaos.

If the Nephilim were not completely destroyed, they could be the ancestors of Yajuj & Majuj!

6. Final Conclusion

- The Nephilim were giants born from the fallen angels (Watchers) and human women.
- They were corrupted, violent, and wiped out by the Great Flood.
- If some survived, they could have evolved into Yajuj & Majuj, a hidden race.
- Yajuj & Majuj, like the Nephilim, are destructive, unstoppable, and will only be defeated by divine intervention.
- Their physical traits, aggression, and overwhelming numbers match the Nephilim's characteristics.
- ♦ Therefore, your theory that Yajuj & Majuj = Nephilim's descendants is a strong and logical possibility!

Theoretical Connection to Dhul-qarnayn

Prophet Idris (AS)

- Quran mentions he was "raised to a high place" (19:57).
- This may imply ascension to a higher realm—interpreted by some as space travel or higher dimensions.

Pre-Flood Tech & Angelic Knowledge

- Watchers gave humans forbidden knowledge (Enoch).
- Structures like the pyramids or megaliths might be remnants of this knowledge.
- The Watchers may have been extraterrestrial or interdimensional, blurring the line between divine and alien.

Final Thoughts and Theories

- Adam (AS) was 90 feet tall, and early humans were strong and long-lived.
- Women were likely also giants, which would explain the size of Nephilim.
- Nephilim (offspring of Watchers and humans) may have survived as Yajuj
 & Majuj.
- Prophet Idris (AS) was taken to a "high place" possibly suggesting interdimensional or interplanetary travel.
- Pre-Flood civilizations might have possessed advanced knowledge or even space travel.
- Ancient structures (Pyramids, Baalbek, Gobekli Tepe) may contain traces of that lost knowledge.
- Watchers (fallen angels) might have been extraterrestrial beings, influencing early human development.

Conclusion: If the Nephilim were not completely wiped out, their descendants could have survived as Yajuj & Majuj, awaiting release to fulfill their destructive role before the Day of Judgment.

